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RE MUR 5504
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Dear Mr Karoly

This is in response to your letter dated August 25, 2004, which we received on that day, requesting a ten-day extension to respond to the complaint filed in the above-noted matter. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter and after receiving the *Statement of Designation of Counsel* on August 31, 2004, the Office of General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on September 7, 2004.

If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alva E. Smith".

Alva E Smith, Paralegal
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